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In re: Brummer  
Appl No.: 09/576,113  
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SYSTEM, METHODS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR THE  
DISPLAY AND VISUALLY DRIVEN DEFINITION OF TOMOGRAPHIC  
IMAGE PLANES IN THREE-DIMENSIONAL SPACE

September 11, 2000

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Washington, D.C. 20231

**SUBMITTAL OF DECLARATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.63 AND SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 1, 2000, enclosed is a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application which has been executed by the named inventor. Also enclosed is an executed Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.

A check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed to cover the surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e). Any additional fee or credit may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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